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# Golden Gater



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Friday

Nevada Game

## Gridders Nevada Bound! Meet Favored Wolf Pack

With one scalp dangling from their belts, State's gridders, thirty strong, are en route tonight for the high Sierra country to tackle what is reputedly the roughest, toughest squad of footballers ever assembled at the University of Nevada at Reno.

In passing the Moffet Field soldiers last week, Coach Dick Boyle's hired men gave promise of developing into a fast, rugged unit capable of handling themselves in the best of grid company.

### WOLVES STRONG

Rumors emanating from the mountain stronghold of the wolf-pack, bode anything but well for the Gater squad. Reports of two hundred pound linemen cluttering up the campus, and triple threat backs lounging about at every turn, have the messrs. Boyle and Kupfer in a most uncomfortable state of mind.

State's squad on the authority of Boyle himself is stronger potentially than last year's pigskin band, but the ugly possibility of injuries may play havoc with a bunch of green youngsters.

The strength of the Gater line  
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### New Courses

## Two Departments Give New Classes

Sign-ups are now being taken for the new Press Room Journalism course, English 118.

The three-unit course, open to all majors and minors of journalism, whether upper or lower division, has no pre-requisites, and will cover practical aspects of journalism, such as printing, typography, layout, and production problems for the journalist. Numbers in the class are limited, and students who are interested are asked to enroll at once.

J. Paul O'Rourke, new journalism instructor, will conduct the class in the late afternoon. The time and place has not been definitely set.

Introduction to contemporary literature, English 4, a two unit course, will be taught in two divisions, by Mr. Baker and Mrs. Witt-Diamant.

All students interested in radio script writing are urged to enroll in English 108A, a three unit course, taught by Mr. Geeting.

From the social science department comes the news of two new courses, Geography 129, taught by Dr. Walter Hacker, covers the political side of geography. History 101, introduction to historical method and bibliography, a three unit course, is being taught by Dr. Theodore Treutline.

### Poetry Workshop Seeks New Verse Enthusiasts

With membership open to all students interested in reading or writing verse, the Poetry Workshop group will hold its first meeting in the home of Mrs. Ruth Witt-Diamant, faculty adviser, on Friday evening, September 27.

Meetings, which are held on alternate Friday nights, are devoted to the reading and criticism of poetry most of which is written by members of the group.

Anyone interested in joining the group is asked to submit samples of his verse to Mrs. Witt-Diamant in her office, room 206B College hall.

Although she pointed out that the new campus literary magazine may offer an outlet for ambitious members, Mrs. Witt-Diamant stressed the fact that the club was formed essentially as a workshop and discussion group.

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### National Defense

## Books Or Guns? Uncle Sam Takes Several Staters

It's education versus patriotism, and Uncle Sam came out on top when 13 former Staters forsook their books and left to join government armed forces this month. San Francisco's 250th Coast Artillery left this week for Camp McQuade with eight State men in the roster, while other army divisions and also the Naval Reserve received many enlistees.

Foremost among the volunteers and enlisted men called to service was Luther Meyer, State journalism instructor and former literary editor of the Call-Bulletin, who was called to his post as first lieutenant in Battery A of the 250th Coast Artillery. Mr. Meyer, who was chiefly responsible for State's new college press, leaves the school just as the new printing plant comes into being.

Another State serving in the same Artillery is Marvin Fairbanks, highly-touted griddler, who was expected to lead the Gater varsity through this year's football season. He is a private in Battery B. Also in the 250th Coast Artillery are Lloyd Fox and Joe Suttles, football player.

Hal Meller, a former student and varsity footballer; Mickey Schwass, formerly a Gater staff member; and Robert Cota, track star and laboratory assistant; were among those called to duty.

Serving in the 159th Infantry band are Bob Osegueda, Jack King and Hal Corbett, State students, and Bill Dorwin, former student.

The Naval Reserve also beckoned; and two campus members answered, Jack McKanny and Bob Anderson. Anderson will leave for New York and may possibly go on to Annapolis later because of his two years of college experience.

## New Yell Leaders All Male Talent

Enrollment in dramatic classes is not a prerequisite for participation. Those interested in any form of dramatics, acting, stage work, scenery, or costuming should watch for announcements on the College theater bulletin board or contact Miss Casebolt at the Little theater, Annex B-2.

### Debate Schedule To Be Set Next Week

At the first meeting of the Forensic Council to be held within the next two weeks, the policy and schedule of the semester is to be formed.

Some of the outstanding debate teams to be met by State this fall are Stanford, University of California, University of San Francisco, College of Pacific, San Francisco Junior College, and many others.

Among those turning out for the council are some well-known names like David Lull, Arnold Vezzani, Rudolph Koller, Al Raby, Sam Dana, Vivian Fleming, Lorraine Everston, Sherry Auerback, and Constance Keenan.

"We expect to have a very successful season, and will welcome any newcomers who would like to join us," David Lull stated today.

### Music Fed Holds First Big Party

Annex B will be turned upside-down tonight, figuratively, when the Music Federation launches its first big party of the season.

The affair, in honor of all new music students, will hold sway in all parts of the lower alley with dancing, ping-pong, badminton and mountains of homemade food cooked by the intrepid cooks, geniuses Socrates Pantages and Vic York, who are in charge of arrangements.

Admission is a Federation membership card or a nominal fee.

### Cal Aggies

## Excursion Ducats On Sale Monday, Says FitzGerald

Tickets are now on sale for the biggest football event of the season—the Davis Excursion for the State-Cal Aggies game to be played October 5. Jim FitzGerald, excursion chairman, announces that there will be only 500 tickets sold although there are almost four times as many students enrolled.

The rare pasteboard will be on sale from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. in upper College hall for \$3, less than half of last year's tariff.

The excursion ticket includes: Round trip to Davis on a Southern Pacific Special Train, lunch, State-Cal Aggies football game, seven course turkey dinner and a campus dance.

### SPECIAL TRAINS FOR TRIP

At 10:00 a.m. boat will leave San Francisco ferry building and will be met at the Oakland pier by the special train, which leaves Oakland at 10:25 a.m. There will be a special dance car, an observation car, and a public address system throughout the train. Lunch will be served on the train.

On arriving at Davis the students will be greeted by the Cal Aggies students and band. A parade will follow through the town and around the college campus.

This will be followed by swimming in an outdoor pool, which, however, is 15c. Women are requested to bring their own suits and caps.

### GAME AT 2:30

The main event of the day, the Aggies versus State tangle, will begin promptly at 2:30 p.m. State dropped last year's game and will seek revenge against the Mustangs.

In the evening there will be a dinner, bathing beauty contest, (from which a State girl will positively be crowned Miss Cal Aggie), campus motion pictures, hayrides, and a dance in the gym from nine o'clock until one o'clock. At 1:20 the special train will leave for San Francisco and will be met by a specific boat on arrival.

### SALES END SEPT. 7

FitzGerald advises students to get their tickets early, since September 27 will be the deadline for sales. A \$1 deposit will hold a reservation.

### Evening Recreation Offered P.E. Majors

All men and women P.E. majors and minors should be interested in the evening recreation courses held each Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in rooms 117, 118, and 211. These courses, which began September 17, are being sponsored by the college for the students who are unable to attend summer camps.

The units acquired in these classes will be added to the curriculum of the P.E. majors and minors. The classes range from 1/2 to 1 units apiece. Students desiring to take any of these courses should contact Dan Farmer. There is no charge for resident students, but there will be

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## Seasoned Seaman Starts State Sojourn As Soph

Contrasted to students who claim that the height of excitement is the coming excursion to Davis, a real globe-trotter has been uncovered in the person of Maurice Lemmel. Lemmel, who has been a seaman on American merchant ships for the past five years, thinks nothing of a little side trip to Australia or South America, and regards going to Honolulu as casually as a commuter crossing the bay.

Lemmel, who first went to State in 1933, is re-entering as a sophomore. There was no N.Y.A. back in those days and when Lemmel couldn't make the budget balance, he dropped out of State

after a year and entered the Civilian Conservation Corps, then a new and untried experiment.

Like all sailors of fiction, they say that Lemmel has left a girl friend in every port. He takes a personal interest in the current European war because the girl friend back in London writes regularly and sends him the latest "front line" news.

To prove that travel really broadens one, Lemmel has put on a lot of extra weight these last few years and is seen regularly in the gym puffing over a medicine ball in an effort to get back on an even keel.

### Enrollment

## Fall Registration Hits New Low As Entrance Requirements Are Raised



More than 2,000 students filed thru women's gym during registration.

### Events

### S.F.S.C. Press

## Class Presidents Plan Term Events Does Next Gater

Brimming with confidence and ready for the biggest year yet, class presidents this week announced their plans for the coming term.

George Weekes, senior president, states that the senior class will this year take a very unusual stand. No special events will be sponsored by the high and mighty last year men, but instead all projects considered to be truly worthy undertakings will be given the full and powerful support of the seniors.

Drama, music, physical education, all will be taken in hand, with plans for the presentation of a trophy for intramural awards already in the formulative stage. Just prior to the Christmas vacation, however, with Marsh Hansen as chairman, a holiday dance will be held.

### JUNIORS PLAN PROM

The Junior Prom is tentatively set for Big Game night, Nov. 30 although President Ed Barry has not yet announced the location. This is the main function of the third year class. Further plans will be announced after the next meeting of the junior class.

On October 26, the Soph Strut, under the direction of John Finn, class prexy, will be held, but as yet the location is unannounced.

A unique publicity angle is in store for State, pertaining to this affair, according to Finn. FROSH TO AID BROTHERS

Frosh President Jack Gilkey states that the high freshmen are going to help "orient" and guide the incoming students to the tradition and customs of San Francisco State college.

The frosh plan a complete social program, with a swim-dance and barbecue-dance first on the list.

### Dates For Social Activities Released

A tentative social calendar was released today by Peggy Clifford, vice-president of the student body.

Sigma Pi Sigma will sponsor the first dance, which will be held in the Women's gym, after the game next Friday night, when State meets San Francisco Junior College. Pi Epsilon Mu and Sigma Alpha Eta will sponsor other dances after home games, although the dates have not yet been decided.

The date for the Soph Strut has been set for October 26, while the Junior Prom will be held on Big Game night, November 23.

November 9 will be the night of the Chicken's Ball which will undoubtedly be held off-campus this year. The homecoming alumni dance will be held in the Women's gym on the night of November 1.

Noon dances will be held every Wednesday under the direction of Joe Edelstein.

### Alpha Omega To Sell Identification Stickers

Plans for immediate sale of identification stickers and for participation in the Chicken's Ball later in the semester will be made at the meeting of the Alpha Omega sorority next Sunday night at Barbara Maghetti's home, 4020 Ortega.

Identification stickers for books and lockers were sold by members of the sorority last semester and will probably be on sale again soon. The price is 35 cents per booklet.

Officers of the sorority this term include: Betty Pierce, president; Lucille Murphy, vice-president; Dorothy Foppiano, acting secretary; and Gerry Polite, publicity chairman.

### Men's Petitions Must Meet Deadline

Petitions for the men's representative position which was left open this semester when Pat Sullivan transferred to the University of California must be in the student body office by 4 p.m. Tuesday, Rosemary Saum, secretary, announced today.

All lower class nominations must be in at the same time, she said, so that the election can be held next Friday. Run-off will then follow on Monday.

### Football Team Travels

## To Reno For Battle With Mighty Wolves

State's Fall enrollment has dropped off for the first time in years.

The decrease in registered students, from 2182 last year to 2124 this term, is probably due to newly inaugurated restrictions and revised entrance requirements, Florence Vance, registrar, revealed today.

### NEW REQUIREMENTS CITED

The new rules require upper division transfers to have at least a "C" average in their college work to be admitted to State College, and freshmen to have either a passing score in their aptitude test or at least six recommended subjects in their last three years in high school. As a result of these rules, more than 100 students were refused admittance this year, thus bringing State's enrollment to 58 below what it was last year.

Statistics show that of the 2124 enrolled this year, 2048 are regular students and 76 are classed as "limited", while of the 2182 Gators of last Fall 2093 were regular and 89 were limited students. These figures are only including those up to the date of publication and many more applicants are expected before the end of the registration period, September 27.

### 636 NEWCOMERS REGISTER

Of the 2124 enrolled, 636 are returning to the school and 1448 are returning Gators.

The new restrictions are necessary, said Miss Vance, because of the crowded State conditions at present, but when the new campus opens enrollment probably will be allowed to go up again.

The first student to enroll this year was Miss Sidney Birkett, '42, an education and music student, who, although living in Richmond, arrived at State at 7 a.m. registration morn to hang publicity signs and consequently was "waiting at the gate" when the Registrar's office opened.

Grace Breeding, former vice-president of Polytechnic High, was the first new student to enroll this Fall.

## Shelley, Cronin To Speak At College Assembly Next Week

Senator J. F. Shelley and Assemblyman Melvin I. Cronin will be guest speakers at a welcome assembly next Wednesday in the First Baptist church at Waller and Octavia streets. All classes will be excused from 2 to 4 p.m. to enable students to attend the assembly.

Dr. Alexander Roberts, president of the college will present a speech of welcome as will Mrs. H. M. Woodward, president of the Parent-Faculty club. Morley Carothers, president of the Student Body will introduce all student officers. The College Symphonic band under the direction of Karl Ernst and the A Capella Choir under the direction of Roy Freeburg will present some musical selections.

**FROSH RECEPTION FOLLOWS**

At 4 p.m., following the assembly a new student reception will be held in Frederic Burk auditorium. Sponsored by the Associated Women Students, this reception will take place from 4 to 6 p.m.

Evelyn Ross, chairman in charge of the reception announced today that bids will be given to all new students in Orientation

## EDITORIALS

## Why Student Body Cards?

Students basking in the delightful surroundings of self content through non-payment of student body fees should thank the Almighty today that there is a sucker born every minute. For in this little college there is no dividing line between the beneficiary and the benefactor. Students who have dismissed their obligations to their school still enjoy numerous benefits given them by their benefactors, and time merrily progresses.

**For years the college has spent student body funds for athletic, music and art equipment when the State department should have footed the bills. But this was done because the things were needed then as they are needed now. We went ahead then, as we would like to move ahead now.**

Today we are faced with this new problem—a problem which only time can solve. But in the meantime, may we point out these few things: that every campus organization is chartered by the student body; that every campus activity is sponsored by the student; **that you yourself are the student body.**

Others long before you have paid their fees that these institutions might last.

**You're using them.**

**Why not pay for them?**

## Wanted: One Rooting Section

Football games have been going on for a long time now at Roberts Field. The brand of the game has improved somewhat, we grant you, taking for example last week's contest; but the size, scope and ability of the rooting section has sadly degenerated.

**If there is going to be a State rooting section, let's have it all State. When we get up to say "Rah, Rah, Rah" let's not have someone leaning up and peering at us as if we were half cracked. Let's get rid of outsiders in the rooting sections.**

Nobody loves a kibitzer. The relief of such a situation is rather a touchy job, at best, but a starer is something else again.

After all, if we're going to have a rooting section, let's go whole hog or not at all.

**How about it Norman? You're the man for the job.**

## Willkie Spills The Coffey

Prominent in the public prints is Wendell Willkie's Coffeyville address, in which he flays President Roosevelt for "losing faith" in the American people. When Walter Johnson, GOP nominee for Congress from the Sixth Maryland district and a former American League hurling ace, pitched him to his former pupils and friends (Willkie once taught history in the Coffeyville high school), Willkie immediately affirmed his approval of the American way of life and cauterized Roosevelt in a somewhat hoarse voice.

Declared the GOP nominee, "If, because of some fine speeches about humanity, you return this administration to office, you will be serving under an American totalitarian government before the long third term is over."

Yes, according to Mr. Willkie's text, Mr. Roosevelt has lost faith in the American people.

But what about you Mr. Willkie? If you had confidence in the American people you would be sure that no totalitarian government could ever exist. You would be sure that whoever was elected by the people would be the right man. You would be sure that the best man would win and would justify his election.

**After all, forty-six states can't be wrong.**

Have a cup of Coffey Mr. Willkie.

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## LETTERS

## TO THE EDITOR

## An Open Letter to State Students:

For years scholastic editors have been welcoming incoming frosh with the same cut-and-dried "Welcome, Frosh" editorial. I think it's time the freshmen had a turn to speak . . . so here goes.

As a representative of the June '44 class I'd like to thank you Gators:

For the swell way you have taken us into your crowd.

For those efficient guides with which you provided us.

For the way you have disregarded our mistakes and praised our accomplishments.

For the ultra-keen reception and dance you gave for us.

For allowing us to take part in your student body activities.

For all that . . . and countless things more.

Yes, we're new here . . . strangers to you. But rather than making us feel so, you've made us believe that we belong here . . . that you were waiting to see us. And for that . . . and everything else, may we thank you very sincerely and assure you that we in turn will give the same welcome to future frosh classes.

In other words, fellows and gals, thanks a lot!!

A. Freshman

Dear Editor:

The absence of anything that might in any way resemble school spirit at the football game last Friday night would indicate that Norman Crane has as much ability at organizing a rooting section as Bill Abbey did last season. Some might blame the student body for lack of interest, but I am inclined to look a wee bit further than that. I maintain that the fault lies with the yell leader who has neither the foresight nor the initiative to take steps to block off a student rooting section before the game.

If I am not too inquisitive, I am not too inquisitive.

## Ex Prep Bigwigs Now State Frosh

Featuring over a dozen student body officers, some two score musicians, together with athletes and brainstorms without number, the June '44 class began this week the first act of their four year drama entitled "Life with S.F.S.C." or "We Came, We Saw, We Enrolled . . . Now What?"

Leading the frosh were three student body presidents: Ruth Cesari of St. Peter's academy, Robert Monte of Napa Union high, and Dorothy Monroe of Bentley high. In the vice-prexy business were Dorothy Chelini of Sonoma Valley high, Daisy Kingston of Oakdale, and Marie Byrd of Mission. Future material for Norman Crane comes in the packages of Ed Nicholson of Hayward, Robert Monte of Napa Union, and Ruth Foster of Grass Valley.

But as if that weren't enough, the "Naughty 44's" brag of Ed Walsh and Bill Paizio who were senior presies of Polytechnic and Mt. Diablo respectively. Student Council members included Patsy Haughton of Balboa and Jeanne Sutherland of Alameda, while the leading musician is Jack Rubke who led the dance orchestra at Lowell.

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## GOLDEN GATER FEATURE PAGE

## New Car Rules

## Annoy Student

The Conscription bill has made it possible for students to attend college without a care, but it seems that the two streetcar lines in San Francisco are of the belief that any helping hand offered to college students would have dire results.

**Putting the finger on school kids who are barely eighteen**

the Market Street Railway company declared last year

that it's thumbs down on the boy or gal that's over this age limit.

Turning in desperation to the Municipal railway all of the oldsters gave their patronage to this company, but lo and behold turning traitor to our noble educational cause both companies have thumbed their noses at the poor student and are now issuing day car tickets good between the hours of six-thirty and five, and evening tickets good from six-fifteen and ten. Between five and six-fifteen the car companies believe that everybody eats dinner so it's not necessary to have these precious cards valid at this time. To obtain the tickets it will soon be necessary to swear in before a notary public, and have the signatures of at least five responsible persons (relatives exempt) not to mention a deposit of \$1.50 which will not be refunded.

## KAMPUS KAPERS

Wedding bells rang fast and furiously throughout the summer months for former and present Staters. Leading the parade were **Betty De Voe**, Bib'n Tucker, and **Dan Bates** who put a fast one over on their friends by eloping to Reno June 1, and then announcing it at a cocktail party two weeks later.

A wedding in Madera June 2,

and a honeymoon in the high Sierras was the idea of **Josephine Maniera** and **Nello Biancalana**. The little gal who used to dish up the ice cream sodas in the co-op, **Kate Kurtella** is no longer with us because she married **Mr. Mathew Rodovich** in July and is now a housewife.

Fairmont swimmer, **Peggy Roach** and Dick Geeting were married when Peggy got time off between shifts at the hospital where she is a nurse.

**Carolyn Seales** and **Jack Witte**; **Florence Rossen** and **Claire Mason** were a few of the others who took the step.

In August, **Douglas Kidd** and **Eleanor Plas** of the Music department filed their intentions.

**Mr. Hugh Baker** of the English department and **Miss Ruth Richards** of the faculty were another couple who surprised their friends.

Former Bib'n Tucker president, **Elvira Huenergard** was

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## Second Year Squad Enters California Soccer League

Although coach Jerry Kenny has only six returning veterans around which to build this season's soccer squad, this is not going to stop the Staters from graduating in this, their second year of existence, into top flight competition. The State squad are to do their performing as members of the California Intercollegiate Soccer Conference.

Other members of the newly formed conference are the University of California, Stanford, U.S.F., Cal Aggies, San Jose State, San Mateo J.C., San Francisco J.C. and Menlo J.C. League play begins on October 5, and is to be a single round-robin affair.

### NEEDS TURNOUT

Coach Kenny declared there is an urgent need for a larger turnout as at present there are only eleven men signed up for the Gater squad. Beside returning veterans Curt Buttles, John Finn, Earl Howard, Norman Koyana, Manual Morena, and John Petersen, the only others who have turned out are Werner and Archie Steinbach, Bob Turney, Frank Duddy, Norman Crane, and Socrates Pantagos.

The soccer boys are already into their practice sessions, working out everyday on the upper field at four o'clock.

Because State has not a fresh soccer team, freshmen are invited to turn out for the varsity. The conference will, however, only allow three years of league competition for any player.

At present only one practice game has been scheduled. It is to be against California on September 28, at Cal. Following is the list of Gater league tussles.

Oct. 5-San Jose State  
at Roberts Field  
Oct. 12-San Mateo J.C.  
at San Mateo  
Oct. 19-Menlo J.C.  
at Menlo  
Oct. 26-Stanford  
at Roberts Field  
Nov. 2-S.F.J.C.  
at Roberts Field  
Nov. 9-Cal Aggies  
at Roberts Field  
Nov. 16-California  
at California  
Nov. 23-U.S.F.  
at Roberts Field

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## State Downs Airman, 20-0 In '40 Opener

Coach Dick Boyle's little boys in gold—and purple—dropped an "aerial bombardment" on the Moffett Air Base eleven, Sept. 13, at Roberts Stadium, to walk home with a 20-0 victory tucked away in their hip pocket.

State started the fireworks first in the second quarter when Ray Milton knifed his way over the goal from the one yard line. Chad Reade's attempted field-goal was wide. John "Verdi" Verducci, diminutive quarter-back, stepped into the game in the third period to take Chad Reade's nineteen yard pass over for the second score. "Rock" Lowrie's toe was good enough for the thirteenth point.

### GATERS SCORE

The Gaters again hit pay-dirt in the third period when Dan Halstead "pitched" an eleven yard pass to Fred "Cotton-Top" Hinze in the end zone. Halstead surprised the near-capacity crowd by drop-kicking the extra point to put a big 20-0 on the score board.

The air men made their one and only threat in the last few minutes of the game, falling short when Guido De Ghetaudi, Gater pivot man, recovered to end the nocturnal fracas.

LOOK OUT, Nevada, here comes the Gaters.

### Golfers Train For Competition

Although the Golf Season does not open until next semester, already many of our boys are taking to the links in preparation for a full season.

Charles Manning one of State's outstanding performers in the men's division entered the California State Tournament at Del Monte last month and turned in a fine score.

Up to the present, the tournaments have been held at the Ingleside Golf course, but the possibility of a change to the Harding Golf course is under discussion.

The San Francisco Co-educational Badminton club will hold its first meet Tuesday, September 24, in the Women's gym from 7:30 to 10 p.m., according to Lucille Henry President, and will be held on successive Tuesdays from then on.



Smiling confidently, Coach Dick Boyle (upper left) bets all his checks on the quartet below against Nevada's Wolfpack. Reno Cordon (lower left), Chad Reade (center), Rock Lowrie (lower right), and Halstead (upper right).

### More On Varsity Trip

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with its untried reserve power will spell the difference between winning and losing by a large margin.

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The huge question mark of "what is to become of the tackle job?" appeared settled for the time being with Freeman and Olsen scheduled to answer the opening whistle against the Wolves. The loss of Marv Fairbanks to Uncle Sam and the National Guard will probably be more effectively noted after the Reno game. The big fellow would have been invaluable in tearing holes in the Nevada line.

The wing posts with Lorbeer and George Thayer working, will be in capable hands although they have their job cut out in handling the speedy Nevada backs.

The boys from sage country will field a line that is, according to advance dope, big but not so fast. The behemoths of Reno, scale anywhere from 180 to 210, the average running in the neighborhood of the 200 lb mark.

Bob Robinet, 190 and Bill Bennett, 210 two of Coach Aiken's tackles, plus Art Kornigle, 210 lb center and Gino Quillie and Bud Young, 190 pound guards, mean plenty of trouble down the middle for the Gater backs.

Miller and Wes Goodner, new

flankmen of the Wolves receive their baptism of fire tomorrow.

With the outcome of the battle centered in the performance of the two forward walls, the duel between the backfields may well be one of the most spectacular of the year.

### STRONG BACKFIELD

Both squads boast strong quarters of ball toters, liberally sprinkled with passers and kickers.

In Marion Motley, 210 pound colored half, who is being compared in Reno to U.C.L.A.'s great Kenny Washington, the Wolves have a man calculated to counteract the poisonous effects of State's triple threat, Chad Reade.

Reade, after a spectacular performance against Moffet Field, may steal the spotlight from the highly touted Nevadan.

### GATER BACKS

With Reno Cordon, paired with Reade at the right half spot, Rock Lowrie at full and little Johnny Verducci calling signals, the Gaters will open with a seasoned and experienced four handling the offense.

Hinze, Halstead, Wendt, Granucci and Elm stand ready for relief duty in the backfield, with the pass catching abilities of Hinze, as proven against the soldiers immensely improving the scoring threat of the Boyle men.

Facing what will probably be their toughest competition of the year, the Gaters meet a squad bound to give them their needed experience the hard way.

The development of two deep line from rookies Mirande, Shinn, Tandy, Fritz and Beck begins against the wolves. On it is based the hopes of State's grid hopes.

### Fencing Offered As Fall Activity

Through the cooperation of the men's and women's P.E. departments fencing will definitely be offered here at State this semester.

Len Duckworth, coach of last semester will be back and will conduct classes for both men and women. Class schedules have not yet been arranged, but all who are interested should contact Wallace Twichell for the men's division and Inez Erickson for the women's.

So far as credit is concerned, the women will receive the regular W.A.A. credit for extracurricular activity. No credit will be offered the men this semester, but arrangements are being made to have fencing offered as a regular P.E. course next spring.

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### Enrollment Hard On New Students

Commencement, 1940 version, at Central high, found five brave graduates with one thought in common. Yes ladies you guessed it, they decided to enter State. This flip-flop five took first steps towards entrance by taking aptitude and English "A" tests.

Soon, three days later to be exact, the quintet was notified that they had passed and on the following day made a bee-line to the College to enroll. Firstly they were placed in English I which we who know, laughingly refer to as "dumb-bell-English."

Flushed with success the happy five strode forth to register, which was supposed to take no longer than you can say 'Johnny Petrovich', however brother Petrovich's little escapade no doubt had something to do with the delay. Therefore the signing took a day, in shifts, (union kindly take note). This unexpected situation forced our heroes to

set up headquarters in Anderson hall. Dawn found them first in line in the midst of great confusion and chaos. No one as yet knows who Dawn is.

The last leg of this novel journey consisted of the paying of fees in the women's gym. Our undaunted stalwarts were awed by the speed in which they were taken (brother we mean taken), through the series of paydesks and finally gently thrown into the arms of the ever present Music federation.

Fluttering from their trembling fingers clung the State paraphernalia which consisted of student body cards, library cards, Music federation cards, (we now take the liberty of commanding the federation on its methods), Golden Gater cards, and a pair of Nylons. These five freshmen now stand on the threshold of a new life, new facts to acquire, new goals to achieve, new finals to conquer and new obstacles to overcome. Oh brother! . . .

## Jayvee Footballers Sign For Tough Campaign

### Women Begin New Season

Charging, smashing, driving their way through intensive scrimmages this year is an inspired Jayvee eleven. Under energetic Bill Abbey, student coach, the baby leather-toters are putting large gobs of that certain something known as school spirit, or guts, into their opening practices.

For the first time in the history of State college the embryo touchdowners have been promised a trip for their opening encounter. According to dynamic Bill Abbey the history-making trip will occur on October 12 in the beautiful bowl at Bakersfield.

### AVENAL HIGH TOUGH

Interesting to Bill Abbey will be the fact that an old classmate of his is coaching the Bakersfield high school team. Seniors may remember Ray Kaufman who is now coaching the marvel team at Avenal high school, Bakersfield.

Throughout Southern California the Avenal high school grid men have been hailed as "exceptional among high school teams."

State's Jayvees are due for a tough bout with the high school boys as the country's leading colleges have already been casting "come-on-along" eyes at the preps.

### ABBEY'S HOPES SOAR

Encouraged no end this term is burly Bill Abbey. Abbey states that the spirit among the Jayvees is at a higher, more dynamic pitch than before, during his stay at State, has ever seen.

Although no complete list of Junior Varsity material is available the names of a few men are ready for print. The average weight of the J.V. recruits is about 175, a nice average.

Out tearing up the field with the spirited vigor praised by Abbey are: Grove Mohr, Leon Rive, Ed Tankersley, Carl McGavran, John Grantham and Eddie Roman.

Bill Abbey asks that more State men turn out for the new spirited, traveling Junior Varsity.

### Femme Fencer Wins At Fair

Bernadette Fratessa, women's foil champ from the S. F. State varsity fencing team (women's division) garnered a multitude of laurels in national fencing competition last summer for State. Engaged in competition with the best fencers of the nation in the National Fencing championships on Treasure Island in July, she won eight out of ten matches.



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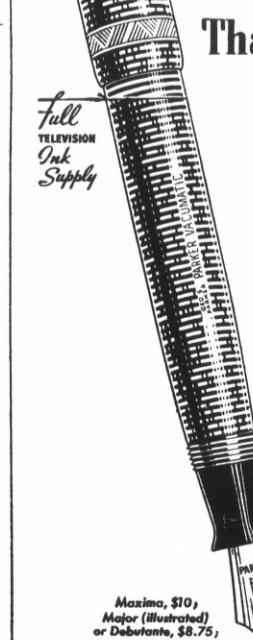
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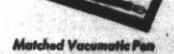
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## Gridiron

## Roberts Field To Go! F. H. A. Will Construct Over \$1,000,000 Worth Of Homes On Present Site

Feet of little children will soon tread the neatly trimmed turf of Roberts Field, replacing the cleated warriors of San Francisco State College.

Sale of the property by the owner to the Federal Housing Authority for a housing project will put State's sturdy athletic teams into the streets and alleys unless the new campus field can be readied for use before next Fall.

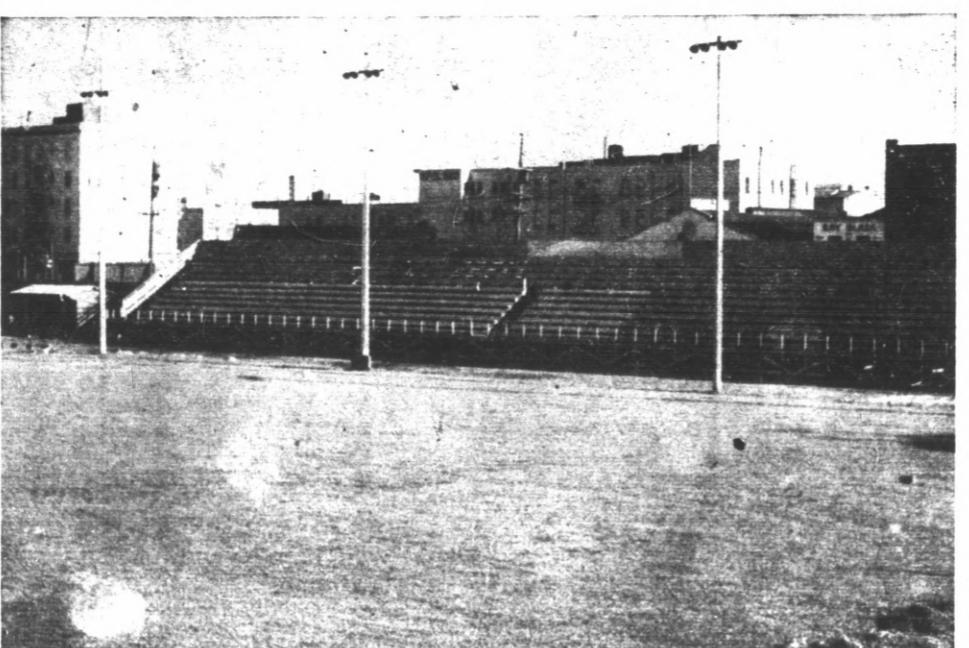
## HOPE FOR NEW FIELD

President Alexander C. Roberts predicts that one playfield will be completed in time for the 1941 football season. Between now and then, however, almost a half million feet of terra firma must be placed. A storm sewer large enough for a man to walk erect has already been laid, and Dr. Roberts expressed gratification at the speed in which work has progressed.

State in the meantime is in no danger of being kicked out on its ear from the present Roberts field, according to the president. Although our lease and option to buy ran out last January, the college has continued to rent the playfield at the regular \$300 per month since the expiration. Officials of the Federal Housing Authority have assured the college that the area might be used until construction is commenced. There was further assurance that this would not start before November.

## THIS SEASON ASSURED

A letter from Albert Evers,



executive director of the F.H.A. to Dr. Roberts during summer vacation stated:

"No interference is anticipated in regard to the use of Roberts field by the State College during the coming football season until after November 1."

"It will be necessary to perform certain test borings to determine soil conditions on the site. This work will be completed during the summer after acquisition of the property by the authority."

State College has the right to

remove all its physical properties from the site, Dr. Roberts mentioned. Fences and bleachers belong to the college while the night lightings system, the de-mountable bleachers on the north side of the field and other facilities belong to the student body itself.

Dr. Roberts expressed hope that when a new lighting system is completed at the Lake Merced location, the old lights may be used for lighting campus tennis courts.

The F.H.A. officially took pos-

sition of the field July 11. The option which State allowed to lapse was to the amount of \$300,000 for the 3 1/2 acres, about half the amount spent for the whole 57-acre new campus site.

Dr. Roberts said he would be very happy if the name of the old field, a student project, was allowed to drop.

More than \$1,000,000 worth of homes will be constructed on the present Roberts Field site.

## Censorship:

### Provision For College Men Set In Draft Bill

The interest of college men in the recently passed conscription bill deems it timely to reproduce in part, that portion of the bill relative to students. It is not to be gathered that the exemptions mentioned in this bill will allow the college man over 21 to go unnoticed. Instead he must register on the day or days fixed for registration. The bill states:

Section (F) Any person who, during the year 1940, entered upon attendance for the academic year 1940-41—

(1) At any college or university which grants in arts or science, to pursue a course of instruction satisfactory completion of which is prescribed by such college or university as a prerequisite to either of such degrees; or

(2) At any university described in paragraph (1) to pursue a course of instruction to the pursuit of which a degree in arts or science is prescribed by such university as a pre-requisite; and who while pursuing such course of instruction at such college or university, is selected for training and service under this act prior to the end of such academic year, or prior to July 1, 1941, which ever occurs first, shall, upon his request, be deferred from induction into the land or naval forces until they are called, so that they will be well prepared for greatest usefulness to their country. They will be promptly notified if they are needed for other patriotic services.

Sincerely yours,

Franklin D. Roosevelt

### Handbooks In Office

Those who did not receive Student Hand Books during registration may obtain them in the student body office. It was announced today.

## Art Department

## Art Staff Has Work on Display

Mrs. Marian C. Cooch and Harry Green of the art staff had work on display in the Palace of Fine Arts at Treasure Island this summer, while John Gutmann had some of his work in photography reprinted in two annual magazines. Evelyn S. Mayer, chairman of the art department, revealed today.

Mrs. Cooch was represented by *Hillside Village*, a water color that has also been exhibited at the San Francisco Museum of Art and at the Vera Jones Bright Gallery, where she had a one-man show last fall.

Being unable to participate in *Artists in Action*, Mr. Green was represented instead by six of his hand-woven textiles. They were exhibited under the sponsorship of Amberg-Hirth, well known San Francisco studio.

Mr. Gutmann had two of his photographs reprinted in *Modern Photography* annual of The Studio, 1940-41 London, and five in the annual number of *United States Camera*.

### Work On 'News Letter' Gets Under Way

Work on the "News Letter", official organ of the Association of California State College Instructors, is now under way, according to Dr. Floyd A. Cave, president of the state organization.

Members of the editorial board include: Dr. Cave, DeC. W. Simmon and Mrs. Blanche Ellsworth, all of San Francisco State. The first publication of the new year will appear October 1.

## Delta Phi Upsilon

### Fraternity Holds Installation

Delta Phi Upsilon, national honorary fraternity, held a joint installation recently with members of the San Francisco Alumni chapter at the home of Ruth Passor, president of the Alumni chapter. After the installation, which took place before a roaring fireplace, supper was served, and a social evening followed.

Newly installed officers for the State chapter are: Bernice Riley, president; Doris Heimerle, vice-president; Enid Hilldring, secretary; Gail Lane, treasurer; and Trudy Strauss, publicity manager. Miss Alice Allicut is the faculty sponsor.

### Young Democrats To Hold Initial Meet

To plan the political program for the coming year, the Young Democrats will meet Tuesday noon in room 204 College hall, according to Arnold Vezzani, president.

Guest speakers, both Roosevelt and Willkie men, will be brought out to the college, and students will be allowed to discuss the various political issues with them, he said.

Next month the Young Democrats will sponsor a straw vote on the presidential election.

## French Club To Elect

A new president will be elected at the first meeting of the French Circle in Annex A-6 Monday at noon it was learned today from Mme Dony, faculty adviser. Former president, Pat Sullivan, has transferred to the University of California.

The first meeting of the club will be held in French, while the second will be in English, thus alternating each meeting so as to give all students a chance to participate in activities. All French speaking students are urged to attend the meetings, and those who do not speak French will be welcome at all times.

**Evening Recreation Offered**  
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a \$5 charge on each unit for non-resident students. The courses are as follows:

Rec. 1B Theory of group Leadership  
Tuesday 7-8 P.M.  
Room 118.....1 unit  
Rec. 2D Pioneering and Woodcraft  
Tuesdays 8-9 P.M.  
Room 211.....1/2 unit  
Rec. 3C Camp Singing  
Wednesday 7-8 P.M.  
Room 118.....1/2 unit  
Rec. 4C Elements of Photography  
Wednesday 8-9 P.M.  
Room 117.....1/2 unit

### Campus News Briefs

All A.W.S. representatives were asked today to contact Rita O'Brien, secretary of the Associated Women students, through p. o. box 1576.

Two Gater cards were lost during registration and may be obtained in the Publications office, Annex A-9, Alex Edelstein, editor, declared today.

Nominations for vice-president, A.W.S. and A.M.S. representatives of the high fresh will be held at noon today in the Little Theater. Red Gilkey, president, said today. Activities for the coming year will also be announced.

The first meeting of Kappa Delta Tau, dance group, will be held Wednesday night, September 25, at 6:30 in the women's gymnasium. All those who are interested in the modern dance are urged to come to the meeting. The group is under the supervision of Miss Bernice Van Gelder.

The first meeting of the A.W.S. Council will be held on Monday from five to seven in the Activities Room.

Last minute course changes were announced late yesterday.

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